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Customer No. 27387

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION NO. : 10/574,060  
APPLICANT : Guido SCHNYDER, et al.  
FILED : March 28, 2006  
FOR : Biodegradable and/or Bioabsorbable Member for Vascular  
Sealing  
ART UNIT : 3734  
EXAMINER : Eric D. BLATT

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June 4, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 4, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks** begin at page 7 of this paper.